



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RE: The Application of:  
DIETZ et al.  
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Atty. File No.: SURR.18/D (old)  
4220-107-1 (new)  
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LASER SCANNING CYTOMETRY"  
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Dear Sir:

Accompanying this paper is a "Revocation of Power of Attorney and Grant of Power of Attorney" signed by Judd Hartman on behalf of PPD Biomarker Services, LLC (formerly known as SurroMed, LLC). Please enter the accompanying Revocation and Grant and send any and all future correspondence regarding the above-identified patent application to the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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On behalf of PPD Biomarker Services, LLC (formerly known as SurroMed, LLC), a North Carolina limited liability company having a principal place of business at 3151 South 17th Street, Wilmington, North Carolina 28412, the assignee and owner of all right, title and interest in the patents and patent applications listed on the attached Schedule A of this Power of Attorney, I hereby appoint SHERIDAN ROSS P.C., 1560 Broadway, Suite 1200, Denver, Colorado 80202-5141, telephone number (303) 863-9700, USPTO Customer No. 22442, as agents and attorneys for SurroMed, LLC, with full powers of substitution, association and revocation to prosecute the patents and patent applications listed on the attached Schedule A, and their related U.S. and foreign applications, and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office and all foreign and international patent offices connected therewith.

Date: June 6, 2005

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Print Name: Judd Hartman

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**SCHEDULE A**

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| US             |                   | 6,603,537         | Novel Optical Architectures for Microvolume Laser-Scanning Cytometers                            |                    | 8/5/2003          |
| US             |                   | 6,800,860         | Novel Optical Architectures for Microvolume Laser-Scanning Cytometers                            |                    | 10/5/2004         |
| US             |                   | 6,552,784         | Disposable Optical Cuvette Cartridge   |                    | 4/22/2003         |
| US             |                   | 6,687,395         | System for Microvolume Laser Scanning Cytometry  |                    | 2/3/2004          |
| AU             |                   | 773832            | Phenotype and Biological Marker Identification System  |                    | 9/23/2004         |
| US             |                   | 6,403,807         | Bridged Fluorescent Dyes, Their Preparation and Their Use in Assays                              |                    | 6/11/2002         |
| US             |                   | 6,753,135         | Biological Markers for Evaluating Therapeutic Treatment of Inflammatory and Autoimmune Disorders |                    | 6/22/2004         |
| US             |                   | 6,787,761         | Median Filter for Liquid Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry Data                                   |                    | 9/7/2004          |
| WO             | PCT/US99/19374    |                   | Novel Optical Architectures for Microvolume Laser-Scanning Cytometers                            | 8/20/1999          |                   |
| EP             | 99946632.9        |                   | Novel Optical Architectures for Microvolume Laser-Scanning Cytometers                            | 8/20/1999          |                   |
| JP             | 2000-566296       |                   | Novel Optical Architectures for Microvolume Laser-Scanning Cytometers                            | 8/20/1999          |                   |
| MX             | PA/a/2001/001887  |                   | Novel Optical Architectures for Microvolume Laser-Scanning Cytometers                            | 8/20/1999          |                   |
| WO             | PCT/US00/11133    |                   | System for Microvolume Laser Scanning Cytometry  | 4/26/2000          |                   |
| EP             | 00926370.8        |                   | System for Microvolume Laser Scanning Cytometry  | 4/26/2000          |                   |
| JP             | 2001-513096       |                   | System for Microvolume Laser Scanning Cytometry  | 4/26/2000          |                   |

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| US      | 09/558,909     |            | Phenotype and Biological Marker Identification System                            | 4/26/2000   |            |
| WO      | PCT/US00/11296 |            | Phenotype and Biological Marker Identification System                            | 4/26/2000   |            |
| CA      | 2371385        |            | Phenotype and Biological Marker Identification System                            | 4/26/2000   |            |
| EP      | 00926411.0     |            | Phenotype and Biological Marker Identification System                            | 4/26/2000   |            |
| JP      | 2000-614148    |            | Phenotype and Biological Marker Identification System                            | 4/26/2000   |            |
| US      | 09/910,463     |            | Computerized Clinical Questionnaire With Dynamically Presented Questions         | 7/20/2001   |            |
| US      | 09/957,624     |            | Method for Monitoring Resting and Activated Platelets in Unfixed Blood Samples   | 9/20/2001   |            |
| US      | 10/047,434     |            | Mass Tags for Quantitative Analysis  | 10/25/2001  |            |
| US      | 09/994,576     |            | Methods for Efficiently Mining Broad Data Sets for Biological Markers            | 11/27/2001  |            |
| WO      | PCT/US01/44409 |            | Methods for Efficiently Mining Broad Data Sets for Biological Markers            | 11/27/2001  |            |
| CA      | 2,429,824      |            | Methods for Efficiently Mining Broad Data Sets for Biological Markers            | 11/27/2001  |            |
| US      | 10/044,310     |            | Mass Spectrometry of Prostaglandins  | 1/11/2002   |            |
| WO      | PCT/US02/00770 |            | Mass Spectrometry of Prostaglandins  | 1/11/2002   |            |
| US      | 10/265,302     |            | Feature List Extraction From Data Sets Such as Spectra                           | 10/4/2002   |            |
| US      | 10/226,090     | 6,873,915  | Peak Selection in Multidimensional Data  | 8/22/2002   | 3/29/2005  |
| US      | 10/272,425     | 6,835,927  | Mass Spectrometric Quantification of Chemical Mixture Components                 | 10/15/2002  | 12/28/2004 |
| US      | 10/274,297     |            | Cytometry Analysis System and Method Using Database-Driven Network of Cytometers | 10/18/2002  |            |
| US      | 10/421,638     |            | Disposable Optical Cuvette Cartridge With Low Fluorescence Material              | 4/22/2003   |            |
| US      | 10/607,815     |            | Methods for Filtering Chemical Noise From Electrospray Ionization Mass Spectra   | 6/27/2003   |            |

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| US      | 10/435,581      |            | Methods for Time-Alignment of Liquid Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry Data   | 5/9/2003    |            |
| WO      | PCT/US03/014729 |            | Methods for Time-Alignment of Liquid Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry Data   | 5/9/2003    |            |
| CA      | PCT/US03/014729 |            | Methods for Time-Alignment of Liquid Chromatography-Mass   | 5/9/2003    |            |
| US      | 10/771,585      |            | System for Microvolume Laser Scanning Cytometry  | 2/3/2004    |            |
| US      | 10/801,990      |            | Biomarkers for Diagnosing Rheumatoid Arthritis   | 3/15/2004   |            |
| WO      | PCT/US04/007880 |            | Biomarkers for Diagnosing Rheumatoid Arthritis   | 3/15/2004   |            |
| US      | 10/959,293      |            | Novel Optical Architectures for Microvolume Laser-Scanning Cytometers  | 10/5/2004   |            |
| US      | 10/845,473      |            | Biological Markers for Evaluating Therapeutic Treatment of Inflammatory and Autoimmune Disorders                             | 5/12/2004   |            |
| US      | 10/935,562      |            | Median Filter for Liquid Chromatography-Mass Spectrometry Data   | 9/7/2004    |            |
| US      | 10/946,359      |            | Biological Markers for Diagnosing Multiple Sclerosis   | 9/20/2004   |            |
| WO      | PCT/US04/030757 |            | Biological Markers for Diagnosing Multiple Sclerosis   | 9/20/2004   |            |
| US      | 60/573,028      |            | Advances in Global Differential Metabolic Profiling for Biomarker Discovery: A Study in Autoimmune Disease                   | 5/19/2004   |            |
| US      | 60/572,717      |            | Understanding Disease Progression in Rheumatoid Arthritis Using Quantitative Protein Profiling by 1D and 2D/LC-MS Techniques | 5/19/2004   |            |
| US      | 60/559,322      |            | Polychromatic Laser Scanning Cytometry   | 4/2/2004    |            |
| US      | 11/023,234      |            | Mass Spectrometric Quantification of Chemical Mixture Components   | 12/27/2004  |            |
| US      | 60/644,564      |            | Compositions and Methods Relating to Prostate Cancer   | 1/18/2005   |            |

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| US      | 60/572,655   |            | Toward Diagnostic Markers of Multiple Sclerosis: Protein Expression Profiling and Identification in Cerebrospinal Fluid and Serum | 5/19/2004   |            |
| US      | 11/075,370   |            | Peak Selection in Multidimensional Data   | 3/7/2005    |            |
| US      | 11/075,024   |            | Method for Monitoring Resting and Activated Platelets in Unfixed Blood Samples  | 3/7/2005    |            |
| US      | 11/090/673   |            | Polychromic Laser Scanning System and Method of Use   | 3/25/2005   |            |
| WO      | PCT/05/10986 |            | Polychromic Laser Scanning System and Method of Use   | 3/30/2005   |            |

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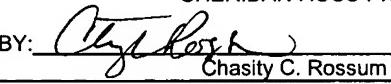
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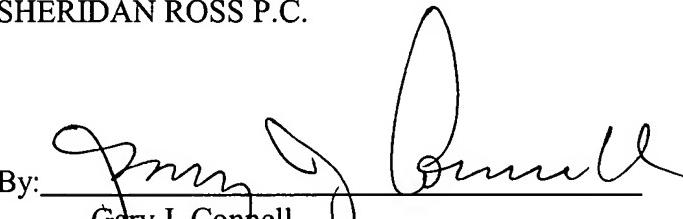
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Dear Sir:

Please amend the attorney docket number for the above-identified patent application from "SURR.18/D" to 4220-107-1.

A representative of the U.S. Patent Office is invited to contact the undersigned if any questions arise in connection with the filing of this paper.

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